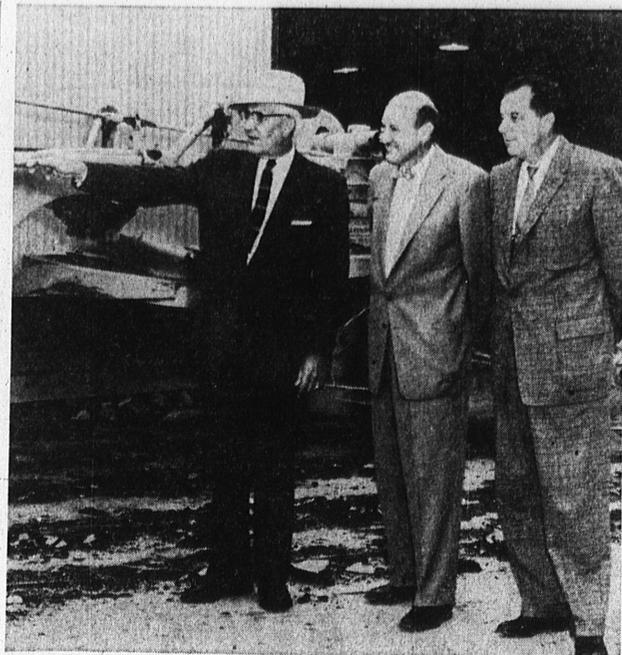


ASBESTOS PROCESS CUTTING OBJECT
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Mayflower Plans to Double Trailer Production Here

Mayflower Trailer Co. launched a plant expansion program this week which will allow the firm to double production of its full line of mobile homes.
 Two new buildings, totaling 10,000 square feet in floor space, are under construction on the 10-acre Mayflower factory in Torrance. When completed, one of the buildings will allow expansion of the present cabinet shop and the second will be utilized in the main production complex.
100 Per Cent Increase
 "The new facilities will allow us to increase production 100 per cent," Mayflower President V. C. Johnson explained. "The increased demand for both our Mayflower and Plym-



GOING UP... Executives of the Mayflower Trailer Co. are shown at groundbreaking operations for two new factory buildings at the firm's plant at the Torrance Airport. Shown (left to right) are V. C. Johnson, Mayflower president, and Vice Presidents Art Snyder and J. R. Strutzel. The new buildings are expected to increase production 100 pct.

Contracts Let For Storm Drain In Halldale Ave

Contracts for the Halldale Ave. storm drain laterals consisting of 42-inch and 48-inch reinforced pipes between 212th and 214th Sts. were awarded this week to Robert V. Kleppinger on his low bid of \$19,291.
 "These laterals will drain the area into the County Flood Control channel at 212th St. and will eliminate the drainage into the slough area, according to Councilman John S. Gibson.
 Kleppinger's bid was about 20 per cent below the city engineer's estimate.
 Contracts for complete improvement of Denker St. between 212th St. and 214th St. are scheduled to be awarded this week.
 Funds for the Denker improvement were made available by a special appropriation requested by Councilman Gibson.

Los Cancioneros Prepare Eighth Annual Program

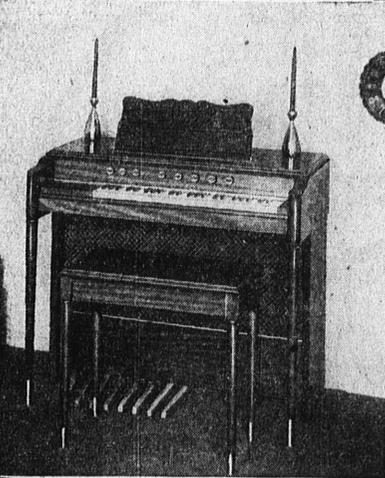
Los Cancioneros, enjoying a complement of 39 voices this season, is busy preparing a varied choral program for its eighth annual "Sing for Your Supper" to be held Sunday evening, Nov. 17, in the Redondo Beach Masonic Temple. An early century German theme will predominate the decor, music, and food.
 From all parts of the South Bay newcomers to Los Cancioneros are enjoying the Tuesday evening rehearsals in El Retiro Park, Hollywood Riviera, where the group has met the past eight years and, incidentally, where it hosted its first "Sing for Your Supper."
 About 80 guests were served that first year and the choral selections were limited to three. This year Los Cancioneros will welcome more than 250 friends and entertain them with a more complete program.

New Members
 New members include Joan Hoffer, Shirley Meyer, Martha Hail, Tim Stark, and Ellis Meyer of Torrance; Marji Baldwin and Dorothy Lawrence of Hermosa Beach; Elsa Hopkins of Long Beach; Doris Molsberry, Phyllis Hall and Kenne Deets of San Pedro; Barby Pulliam, Marjorie Fandler and Jim Boyd of Manhattan Beach; Rosemary Bollinger and Rue Fern of Redondo Beach, and Donna Connors of Hawthorne.
 Don Brewer will conduct the chorus for his third season. Ruth Buell of Los Angeles is accompanist. Working with the supper committee headed by Millie Griffith of Portuguese Bend are members of the L.C. board.

Traffic Study Request Deferred by Council
 The North Torrance Civic Improvement Assn. request that a traffic expert be employed to study problems of the north Torrance area was referred to the next meeting of the city council for consideration. The request was filed with the council Tuesday by John G. L. Crain, president of NTCIA.
PASTURE COSTS
 It costs about \$40 an acre to establish and maintain permanent pasture land, farm experts have found.
COPPER OUTPUT
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Tartar Teen Talk

Our Tartar Varsity football team plays Santa Monica for the league championship tomorrow night Corsair Field, and if the THSers come out on top it will be the first Bay League title a Torrance grid team has ever won.

Today a rally will be held in the football stands and a special all-girl "football game" will be featured. Also the school's annual "maroon and gray day" is today and all Tartars will wear these two school colors on campus.

The Tartar Bees wind up their season today when Santa Monica lightweight football team comes to town to play at 2:45 on the THS gridiron. If the Howard Brubaker coached Bees can knock off the Vikings, they'll not only register their second seasonal victory, but ruin Samohi's chances of a tie for first place with De-dondo.

Last Tuesday Parent-Teacher conferences were held on the campus from 7:30 to 9:30. The purpose of the conferences is to let the teachers and parents become acquainted so they can iron out problems before they become serious, and to inform the parents of Torrance's educational program.

Next Wednesday the Girls League sponsors its first Slack and Peddlepusher day of the year, and all girls that buy a ticket for 10 cents are entitled to wear either slacks, capris, or peddlepushers for one day.

The first quarter of the school year comes to a close tomorrow with report cards slated to be issued next Tuesday.

Sidewalk Study Asked
 Request for a free license to permit Y-Teen clubs of the Torrance YWCA to paint house numbers on curbs until Dec. 31 as a fund-raising project was approved by the city council this week on the recommendation of License Inspector Gale Whitacre.

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